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In re Patent Application of:  
Stiv Kolega et al.

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For: DEVICE FOR DRYING PRODUCTS SUCH AS  
IN PARTICULAR PURIFYING STATION  
SLUDGE

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Examiner: J. Lu

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated June 22, 2006, finally rejecting claims 11-18,  
please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2  
of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.